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ROYAL ARCANUM HOLD BIG EVENT

The Largest Class Initiation
Ever Held in State.

WITNESSED BY SUPREME REGENT

Many Prominent Officials Present—
Banquet Followed Work—Now
Biggest Council in State.

The largest meeting of the Royal Arcanum ever held in this state was held here Tuesday evening, when a class of 118 representative citizens to the council. It was undoubtedly one of the finest times ever enjoyed by the members of the local

council and the visitors and will go down on the records as a red letter event.

Owing to the size of the crowd that was expected the lodge room was transferred to the lower Freeman's hall, which had been fitted up for this occasion and this was good judgment for the crowd in attendance filled all of the available space in that big hall. In addition to the great number of members of the Council present, there were sixty present from the Major Waldron Council of Dover, many from other councils in this section and the large class of candidates making about four hundred people present.

The preparations for the class initiation have been under way for some weeks and it started from a visit here two months ago of the Supreme Regent in which he was much impressed with the work of the local council, and suggested that if a class of any size was obtained he would return for the occasion. At the same time he presented to the council the new prize ritual, which had never been used before in New England.

It was first hoped that a class of fifty could be obtained, but this gradually changed to the idea of seventy-five, and so well did the members of the council work that Tuesday evening 126 applications had been written, and of these 118 had been passed in time to get into the class.

The special guests present were:

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KITTERY LETTER

Another Teacher for
Academy

Schooner Arrives After
a Long Voyage

Yacht Club Cribbage and
Other Festivities

Family to Return to Town from
Pennsylvania

Kittery, Me., March 16.

Kittery correspondent's telephone 297-5.

Trap Academy will close on a week's vacation on Friday April 1. A regular meeting of Whipple Lodge, Independent Order of Good Templars, will be held this evening. Calvin D. Dunbar and family of Wentworth street expect to leave this week on a visit to Hartford, Conn.

Waldo B. Russell of Lexington, Mass., was in town Tuesday on business.

The prospect of a third assistant teacher at Trap Academy is very gratifying to those interested in the welfare of that fine institution. It is an indication of its increasing worth and prosperity.

Miss Mabelle Moore of the Dennett Road is visiting in town.

The final rehearsal of the "Yankee Dixie Coons" was held in Wentworth Hall Tuesday evening. This production promises to be an attraction of great merit and one of credit to its conductor, Ralph S. Parker. The performance will begin at 8.15 on Thursday and Friday evenings. Dancing will be indulged in from 10 to 12 the last evening.

The steamer Queen City under her new ownership and much improved in appearance, has gone in commission for the summer on the Portsmouth and New Castle route.

The introduction of electric lights on the town's streets is the most notable step forward in its affairs for some time, and one which will be of incalculable benefit. The work of installing them cannot go ahead too rapidly to suit the populace.

The Aid Association of York Rebekah Lodge will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Calvin Hayes.

The Kittery Yacht club cribbage tournament was in session Tuesday evening at the club house. Charles F. Hussey took first prize, Daniel W. Marden second and George H. Marden third. The tournament will probably continue through this month. Friends here of Chief Boatwain, William L. Hill, U. S. N., are confident that the charges of misconduct preferred against him are wholly groundless.

The Ladies Social Circle of the Second Christian Church meets Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joseph D. Fletcher at the navy yard.

The four master Maude Palmer arrived Tuesday afternoon after a passage of 39 days from Norfolk, Va. Calms and head winds were responsible for her unusually long trip, which

had occasioned some uneasiness. The Maude is a sister ship of the Marie Palmer lost on Frying Pan Shoals, N. O. last winter. After discharging here she will go to Brunswick, Ga., to load railroad ties for New York.

Mrs. Emma Hatch of North Kittery who has been confined to the house by illness the greater part of the winter, is now able to be out of doors and on Tuesday was a visitor in Portsmouth.

The Ladies' Social Circle of the Second Christian church will in the near future give an entertainment and sale in the vestry of the church. The program will be furnished by the pupils of Mrs. William T. Spinney and promises to be very interesting.

The condition of Mrs. Clifford Williams of Exeter street, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be more favorable.

The O. O. or L. D. Y. whist club will meet this evening with Mrs. Joseph Serrell of Government street.

Kittery Point

Kittery Point correspondent's telephone 297-5.

George F. Baker of the United States gipsy moth fighters is transferred today from Hampton, N. H., to Pittsfield, N. H.

Frank C. Frisbee was in Newmarket Tuesday on business.

Miss Alice Grace has gone to Portsmouth to pass the remainder of the week with relatives.

Perley S. Tobey is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins are rejoicing over the birth of a 10-1-2 pound son, born Monday morning.

The Benevolent Society of the First Christian church will hold a sale in Frisbee's Hall on Wednesday March 23.

Lewis Cole and family will move into the house of Mrs. Eliza E. Bray which is to be vacated by Arthur E. Barnes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Perry of South Berwick were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry on Sunday.

The Busy Workers give a supper at Noah E. Emery's Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jesse Bridges of York has been the guest of Mrs. Eliza E. Bray.

Mrs. Amos W. Amos entertained at whist on Monday evening.

L. K. Moore and family who moved to Shamoken, Pa., last November, are to return to this town to reside, it is reported.

The F. D. Whist club meets this afternoon with Mrs. Fred J. P. Chase. Miss Lillian Walker of the Emerson School of Oratory, is passing a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Walker.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Christian church met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Joseph Mouton.

Rev. and Mrs. I. James Merry are passing the week in Malden, Mass.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of the Congregational church met Tuesday afternoon at the old parsonage.

VOTING ON STRIKE

Question Has Been Submitted to
New Haven Railroad Employees

New Haven, Conn., March 16.—Acting promptly on the refusal of officials of the road to come to their terms, and a failure to see President Mellen, a strike ballot was issued to all conductors, trainmen and yardmen on the New Haven system last night to ascertain if the men are willing to leave their positions if conditions cannot be remedied. The order was signed by L. E. Sheppard, senior vice president of the Order of Railway Conductors, and G. H. Sines, vice president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.

The ballots will not be returned to New Haven for a count for about a week, and will then be gone over by the committee. When the decision is learned it will be communicated to the officers of the New Haven company. The officers of the local are convinced the majority of the men favor a strike and believe that when they realize this the railroad officials will recede from their position. The following statement has been issued by Sheppard and Sines, stating the men's side of the case:

March 14, General Manager Higgins gave the committee representing the conductors, trainmen and yardmen a tentative proposition in answer to the request for increased compensation and better working rules.

"The offer is in effect a ton hour day instead of eleven hours, as now in freight service, to change the basis of overtime to passenger men from flat eleven hour day to a speed basis per mile, the result of which would

CONCORD MONITOR WANTS BURROUGHS

For Republican Nominee for Governor
of New Hampshire

Declaring for Sherman E. Burroughs of Manchester as Republican candidate for governor, the Concord Monitor of Tuesday evening contained an editorial which reads as follows:

"Up to this time the attitude of the Monitor and Statesman in regard to the Republican gubernatorial nomination has been that of unity first, candidate afterward."

Today we believe that the frame of mind of a great majority of the Republican party in New Hampshire is such that they will unite, readily and gladly, in support of the candidate whom we name as our choice for the next governor of New Hampshire, Sherman E. Burroughs of Manchester.

"We know that Mr. Burroughs has declared that he is not and will not be a candidate for the nomination; but we believe that his high standard of public duty and party loyalty will not allow him to refuse a call to a position in which he can accomplish so much for the best interests of his native state."

"The office, that of governor of New Hampshire, is one of honor, responsibility and great opportunities for usefulness. The man, Sherman E. Burroughs, is a young Republican of the best type, with steadfast reputation, public and private, favorably known throughout the state of his birth and education, the state where he has taken high rank in his profession, the state which he has served faithfully in important positions."

"Mr. Burroughs is and has been a loyal Republican. He is the type of 'rational radical' of whom Hon. William E. Chandler wrote. He is such a man as this paper prophesied last December could be and would be nominated with enthusiasm as the next governor of New Hampshire."

"For the good of their party and the good of their state the Republicans of New Hampshire should see to it that this office seeks this man. With this belief, the Monitor and Statesman, in the time that remains before the primaries, will urge, to the best of its ability, the nomination of Sherman E. Burroughs of Manchester as the Republican candidate for governor of New Hampshire."

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\$3,000 FOR STREET SPRINKLING

Annual Meeting of Portsmouth District
Was Held This Morning

The annual meeting of the Portsmouth street sprinkling district, at the Armory this morning, was slimly attended. Officers were elected as follows:

Moderator, Albert R. Junkins.
Clerk, Frank L. Pryor.
Commissioner, Morris C. Foye, Charles F. Shillaber, William E. Marvin.
Treasurer, John C. Batchelder.

The treasurer's report contained the following figures:
On hand a year ago \$ 843.14
Received from United States 50.00
Received from city 1.00
Received from taxes 2,882.87

Total \$3,777.01
Expended 2,991.94

Cash on hand now \$ 785.07
Commissioner Marvin stated that he hoped the next winter would see the street sprinkling district abolished and the work done by the board of public works. He regretted that the attempt of the city government to en-

large the area of the street sprinkling district was null and void because of omission of the legal formalities of a notice and a hearing, but, as it is, the district will this year be responsible for sprinkling in the same territory as last year. The district made some experiments with calcium chloride for sprinkling purposes the past year and the results were pleasing. Oil was not used because of the reports from cities where it has been tried to the effect that people, cats and dogs are continually tracking it into the houses. The district owns two and the city one of the sprinkling carts used, and if the city should call for its cart the sprinkling district could use its surplus to buy another. The commissioners know of no outstanding bills and recommended an appropriation of \$2000, the same as last year.

An appropriation of \$3000 was voted. Voted to ask the city auditor to audit the district accounts without pay. Adjourned.

be quite a saving to the company in passenger overtime.

The proposition also involves abolishing all the eight hour yards and putting them on ten hour basis, and then give all yardmen a slight increase per day, but from two to two and one-quarter cents per hour less than they now receive. No increase in rates of pay was offered to men in road service.

The committee were given to understand that the offer would be withdrawn unless accepted in its entirety. The committee by a unanimous vote declined to accept the proposition, and the entire subject matter has been referred to the men for them to decide.

An effort was made to see President Mellen. He could not be seen personally until the 28th.

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This is the Housekeepers' Bargain Week

At Our Store. Everything to Make the Housekeeper Happy.

Bleached Sheets, 72x90, 3 and 1 inch hem.....39c Each
Bleached Sheets, 72x90, made from Heavy Cotton.....49c Each
Bleached Pillow Slips, 42x36.....12 1-2c and 15c Each
White Bed Spreads, hemmed or fringed, full size.....\$1.00
25c Bleached Table Damask, 60 inches wide.....20c Yard
50c All Linen Damask, 61 inches wide.....42 1-2c Yard
Huck Towels, colored border, 24x14.....4c Each
All Linen Huck Towels, extra large, Hemstitched and Bordered with Red, fast colors.....24c Each
8-4 Damask Fringed Table Covers, Red and Blue, Red and White or Red and Green.....68c Each
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36 inch Cream Mohair, Black Hair Line Stripe.....50c
42 inch Cream Serges, Black Hair Line Stripe.....\$1.00
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Until further notice, prices for Tungsten Lamps, when old lamps are returned, will be as follows:

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FUTURE OF NEW ENGLAND

A Notable Address Given by Lucius Tuttle

Boston, March 16.—Before the members of the Merchants' club at their monthly dinner at the Algonquin club house last evening, Lucius Tuttle, president of the Boston and Maine railroad, spoke optimistically of the progress and prosperity of New England, declaring that it is not retreating, as some would have it appear, but on the contrary going ahead all the time.

Mr. Tuttle declared that New England is making notable progress. He said that statistics gathered by his railroad company a few years since showed at least \$12,000,000 annually expended in the state of Maine alone by the summer visitors, and \$60,000,000 was probably the total for all New England.

"While New England's textile industries lead the world," he said, "other and diversified industries are increasing as rapidly as anywhere else in the Union, not faring the Western states where the greatest progress is expected to be."

"Out of the 700,000 immigrants admitted to the United States during one portion of last year, 357,000 were accommodated and given employment in three sections. New York found a place for 130,000, Pennsylvania for 62,000 and New England for 65,000. The fact that New England could give employment to such a number is the greatest answer to the charge that New England is suffering from a decline."

"Look at the new worsted mills, set up here in retrograding New England. They are here because the people are here to operate them. We have a climate in which they can work more hours and do better work than in the south. We bring cotton here all the way from Memphis and manufacture goods, using expensive coal, which we send to all parts of the world, and do it profitably. Does that indicate less skill or cunning in New England?"

"New England never was as prosperous as today. Not only are all of its industries in a flourishing condition, but it furnishes a large portion of the money used in building up the industries of the rest of the country."

Mr. Tuttle next turned his attention to the foreign immigration question, which he declared to be of the greatest importance. He called attention to the fact that the stream from the north of Europe has largely ceased, its place being taken by the Slav, the Lithuanian, the Russian Jew and the less desirable mixed races and those from the south of Europe.

He paid a tribute to those who came into this country and settled largely in the West two or three decades ago, declaring that "they have

made today the best of our people."

The great bulk of the present influx of immigrants are those, he declared, "who have nothing in sympathy with the fundamentals of our government and institutions," and he asked the question, "What are we going to do with this class of people to assimilate them and bring them into understanding and sympathy with us?"

Mr. Tuttle commended the work of the Civic league for immigrants and what the evening schools in Boston and other cities are doing in "attending to inculcate some fundamental ideas of American citizenship." Upon such efforts as these, he said, "rests the future success of this country."

"Let me commend to you, gentlemen, to all who have good of this country at heart, that it is the business of each and all of us to school these people in the ideas and fundamentals in American life. Ninety per cent of them, when they come to us, have not the slightest conception of what liberty, freedom, law or the rights of the individual mean. To most of them, liberty is license and law is a sword."

C. H. Taylor also spoke on New England, stating that in his opinion, talk of the need of uplift is unnecessary and based on wrong ideas of existing conditions. He called attention to the fact that within a radius of 60 miles of Boston there are 3,000,000 people—more than within the same distance of any other American city except New York. These constitute one-third of the total population of the country, he declared, and one-fifth of the purchasing power. In the New England savings banks and co-operative banks are one-fifth of the entire savings of the country.

"Why should we grumble about the decline of New England? All we need to do is to go ahead, making New England life generally increasingly attractive, and we shall have here a summer business far greater than that of Switzerland in the old world. Talk about the decline of New England! It is the best place in the world."

AMERICAN SCULPTOR TRIUMPHS

Barnard's Groups Furnish Sensation of the Paris Salon

Paris, March 16.—America is expected to furnish the sensation of the spring Salon in two groups of figures representing "The Life of Humanity," which have been designed for the portals of the Pennsylvania state capitol by George Grey Barnard, the American sculptor.

Mr. Barnard has spent six years in continuous labor on the groups, which consist of 35 figures, from 10 to 11 feet in height, and are the most massive in the world.

M. Bouché and Lefebvre, the noted French sculptors, who are members of the jury, after a four hour examination today pronounced the work a wonderful success. M. Bouché declared that they would take rank with the greatest works of art in the world. Both declared that the groups would have the position of honor at the Salon.

FROM EXETER

Exeter, March 16.—The high school boys have called their candidates for the baseball team together, and from appearances there will be a strong team at the high school this season. It will be captained by Ira Houston and managed by Russell Welch, two star members of last year's nine, which defeated Panchard high of Andover, the school's greatest rival. Houston filled the box and Welch was on the receiving end of the battery. Both were promising players and made excellent records. There have been but two players lost by graduation, and the new material is promising. The first game will be played on April 9 with Newburyport, and the schedule will consist of games with the high schools of the neighboring cities. A dance for the benefit of the team is to be held sometime next month, and it has been decided by the management to sell season tickets to help out the expense.

Principal Harlan P. Allen of the academy has returned from the south, where he visited the cities of New Orleans, Washington, Philadelphia, and New York. He has been working in the interest of the teachers' endowment fund and reports \$250,000 raised.

John W. A. Green, register of deeds of Rockingham county, has been elected justice of the peace.

The old postoffice building which was vacated on March 1 has been leased to the Christian Science society. A reading room will be finished off in one department and an auditorium in another.

The funeral services of William E. Walsh were held Tuesday at St. Michael's church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Fr. John E. Flinn. Mr. Walsh was one of the old Irish residents of the town where he had lived for many years a respected citizen. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. John Flinn, of this town and three sons in Portsmouth, Cornelia, Daniel and Thomas.

Mrs. Daniel Sanborn is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank J. Sanborn, at Concord this week.

Theatrical Topics

The Costumes in "Sham"

Henrietta Crosman, whose appearance in any play is always a pure and unalloyed delight, will be at the fall on March 21 in her newest comedy success, "Sham," which New York called one of the brightest hits of the year, and in which Miss Crosman has found a vehicle worthy of a place by the side of her "As You Like It," "Miss Nell," and "Sweet Kitty Bellairs." New York could not get enough of "Sham," and for six months Wallack's Theatre entertained the smartest and best audiences of the season, with the extremely hot weather made it necessary for the popular star to take a short rest.

The heroine of "Sham" is Katherine Van Hater, a social beggar, who saves her family from ruin by obtaining the services of life. But one can't help loving this good humored little hypocrite when her condition is considered for she has been reared by an indulgent and extravagant father who has left her with an inheritance of luxurious notions and a mere \$200 a month with which to satisfy them. Miss Crosman has clothed this character with all her wonderful art, blending its varying moods into a consistent whole. The same company which supported this star in New York will appear with her here, and the engagement should prove one of the most enjoyable treats of the year.

With natural feminine desire to appear in gowns of the latest mode Miss Crosman has always regretted that the parts in which she has appeared for a number of years prevented her from indulging her taste in this direction. As Rosalind, Mistress Nell and Kitty Bellairs, she has worn costumes of past centuries, and though very becoming they did not bring the self-satisfaction that every woman feels when she is attired in the fashion of the day. In "Sham," however, in which she scored the biggest success of her career in New York last season she plays the part of a young New York society woman, and the gowns she wears in this play have attracted considerable attention and won the admiration of every woman in the fashionable audiences that attended Wallack's Theatre during the months of her run on Broadway.

Footlight Flashes

The position of the musical director of the summer season of opera at the Castle Square theatre in Boston has been filled by the selection of Mr. Samuel L. Studley. As musical director of the Bostonians for many years Mr. Studley gained a well-earned and hard-earned reputation as a skillful and versatile musician, and he will be a decided acquisition to the Castle Square summer opera. Mr. Studley is, moreover, a Boston man and a teacher of music, and that is also decidedly to his advantage.

A report from Vienna declares the fact that Felix Weingartner, who has just been registered at the university in that city as a student of medicine. With German women the profession of a physician and surgeon is by no means so popular as it is in the case of the women of this country, hence the step taken by Frau Director Weingartner

has been received with general surprise.

Flora Zabelle, who is now in the Colonesque type of musical comedy, had one experience with the London Gaiety type, for she was chosen for one of the most important characters in "The Messenger Boy" when that work was imported for use with an American cast in New York.

"The comet has not yet been utilized by our dramatists and managers," writes Stephen Fiske, the New York critic. "It is a first-rate title for any sort of play. The Germans, whom we consider slow, already have a comet play and it is so popular that it is being acted in almost every town and city. It is a farce called 'The Tramp.' A tailor, a cobbler and a carpenter meet on the open road, pool their savings and buy a lottery ticket which wins first prize. The tailor spends his cash in spectacular dissipation. The carpenter buys a share in the business of his old master and marries his daughter. The cobbler has heard about the comet and invests his money in drink, deciding that economy and sobriety are useless as the world is to be destroyed so soon. The chief song, which is humorous and whistled throughout Germany and Austria is 'Anyhow, the Earth Will Not Last Very Long—Ooo—Long!'"

Charles P. Browne, acting manager of "The Man Who Owns Broadway," is writing a book entitled "Fifty Years a Showman." Raymond Hitchcock will write the introduction. The volume will be dedicated to John H. Rogers.

Frank Slavton, English playwright, who wrote "The Interior Sex" for Maxine Elliott, is to write a play for her sister, Gertrude, the wife of J. Forbes Robertson.

Mrs. Thomas Whiffen and the late Mrs. Charles Walcott were the most famous old women on the New York stage when they were with Daniel Frohman's stock company at the Lyceum theatre. One of the pieces in which they appeared together in Boston was "Trelawney of the 'Wells'" in the last year of the organization. Mrs. Whiffen was with "The Great Divide" for three seasons before she was chosen for her present character in "The Builder of Bridges."

Walter Hyde, the English tenor, who has been singing with very great success in grand opera in England for the last two seasons, is to come to America before the close of the present season. He will sing with the Metropolitan opera company on its forthcoming annual tour.

"The Balkan Princess" is the title of a new musical comedy that has it is said set all London whistling. The princess, to retain her throne, must choose a husband among six nobles. One of the nobles declines to go to the palace to submit to an inspection. The princess meets him in a restaurant and they fall in love, neither knowing who the other is. In the end he is arrested for treason, but the princess selects him for her spouse.

There exists in Moscow the Synodal school for the purpose of training church singers, its system and training the same as the Court Chapel school in St. Petersburg. Lately the directors of both have enlarged their curriculum, so as to have them on a level with the colleges of the country. A superior musical education is also compulsory; so students, on finishing this school are accomplished, well-informed musicians, especially fit for training or leading choirs, and Russia is supplied with choristers.

Miss Eda von Luke, who plays the part of the princess in "Graustark," can boast of having played more than 100 different characters, her engagements having been mostly with stock companies in and about Chicago, where she first appeared when a very young girl.

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MIDSHIPMAN'S RESIDENCE

Is Where a Congressman Says that It Is

Washington, March 16.—Representative Hamilton Fish of New York, rather ungraciously, it is thought by some of his colleagues, recently appointed to the navy department, and to the department of justice to aid him in ousting from the Navy Academy on a technicality a midshipman appointed by his predecessor in order that the vacancy might fall to him.

But the secretary of the navy and the attorney general, decided against Mr. Fish, and thereby put the stamp of official approval on a practice that is as old as the naval academy itself and which, although it may be, strictly speaking, illegal, is both popular and respectable.

The law governing the appointment of midshipmen at the naval academy by senators and representatives in congress stipulates that the nominees of the senators must be residents of the state whence they are to be appointed and those of the representatives must be represented by their sponsor. As a matter of fact the navy department never goes behind the returns in accepting the designations of senators and representatives, they being obliged to state in writing that their nominees are residents of their state or district, as the case may be. If a senator or representative is willing to consider a boy as a resident of his state or district who does not live in it, or who probably never saw or heard of it, the department regarded that as his own concern and takes no questions.

Representative Fish formally made complaint that his predecessor had appointed a boy who was not a resident of the twenty-first congressional district of New York, which Mr. Fish now represents, and he therefore asked to have the appointment revoked in order that a vacancy would be created for him to fill. The navy department declined to do this on the ground that Mr. Fish's predecessor, having said that the boy nominated by him was a resident of his district, that made him a resident, so far as the department, governed by custom and time-honored usage, is concerned, and when Mr. Fish appealed to the attorney general, the secretary of the navy was sustained.

As showing the unchangeable policy of the navy department in accepting the statement of a congressman as to the place of residence of a boy nominated to be a midshipman, a case occurring a few years ago is recalled. A boy, living temporarily in an eastern state, although his parents were residents of a western state, having failed to get an appointment and having set his heart upon a naval career, finally, in desperation, prepared a letter to every congressman in the United States who had not filled his vacancy at the naval academy and started to send the letters out in batches of 25 there being more than 100 in all.

In the first mail after the 20 letters were sent out came a reply from a Democratic congressman in a southern city saying that he did not know he was entitled to any appointment at Annapolis, that nobody had ever applied to him for one and that the boy could have it and welcome.

The congressman wrote to the navy department and was informed that he had twice been notified of a vacancy to his credit, and admonished that if he did not fill it the department would under the law, do so. The Democratic congressman from the south thereupon nominated the son of a long line of Republicans from the north without ever having seen him and knowing nothing more of him or his circumstances than what was set forth in the letter of which he received a copy. The boy has since graduated and is now a junior officer on one of the big battleships of the Atlantic fleet.

THE SALISBURY LICENSES

Salisbury, Mass., March 16.—Salisbury, it is expected will have three licenses next summer, the selectmen having authority to grant one yearly license and two summer licenses of three months' duration. The number of licenses to be granted is fixed by the population as in other cities and towns, one being permitted to every 1000 inhabitants. The summer licenses which are to meet the requirements of the beach population are granted, one to every 500 inhabitants and the census will be taken at the beach in June.

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LEGAL CIRCLES ARE STIRRED

Prominent Men Arrested on Charge of Bribery

OUTCOME OF WILL CASE

Crocker, a Boston Millionaire Clubman and Prominent in City Affairs, Is Held With Two Others For Alleged Connection With Jury Bribery in 1904—They Plead Not Guilty and Are Released on Bail

Doston, March 16.—George U. Crocker, millionaire clubman, ex-city treasurer and former member of the Boston finance commission; John J. Conroy, a prominent real estate dealer, and Charles H. Leach, an insurance broker, were arrested, charged with conspiracy to corrupt jurors in the famous Crocker will case.

The men were arraigned before Judge Wall in the superior criminal court. They pleaded not guilty, waived the reading of the indictment and were later released on bail.

The arrests were caused by District Attorney Pelletier and Assistant District Attorney Lavelle. Since 1902 rumors of indictments of men higher up in the Crocker will case have from time to time been circulated, and the matter has come before the administration of the late John B. Moran and ex-District Attorney Hill.

But with the arrests of Crocker, Conroy and Leach, lawyers consider that the charges of bribery are at last started towards prosecution.

The indictments, containing fourteen counts, are looked upon by the legal fraternity as sweeping in their completeness. They are so drawn that the three men will be forced to stand or fall together, unless one of them turns state's evidence.

The first count charges Crocker and Conroy with procuring William J. Hartnett to corrupt Matthew Kilian, a juror. The second count charges Crocker separately with the same thing. The third charges Conroy separately with the same thing. The fourth count charges all three of the men with concealing and assisting Hartnett to avoid arrest and punishment. The fifth, sixth and seventh counts charge each of the three separately with the same thing.

The eighth count charges Crocker and Conroy with procuring one Cronin with \$150; the ninth and tenth counts charge each separately. The eleventh count alleges that all three men harbored William Hartnett and concealed him from arrest, the last three counts charging all three separately.

The other indictment charges Leach, Conroy and Crocker with being accessories before and after the fact in a conspiracy to corrupt a juror sitting in trial.

None of the men indicted would make any statements. Crocker absented himself from his office in the Old South building. At his home last night it was said that he was not out of the city, but in a place where he could not be seen.

Conroy and Leach were found, but refused to make any comment on the case at all.

The indictments and arrests of yesterday came as a long delayed aftermath of the trial and sentence of Matthew J. Kilian to a term of two years imprisonment. John W. Cronan, who was indicted and tried at the same time with Kilian, was acquitted.

The famous Crocker will case, which involved a sum of nearly a million dollars, has been before the courts of the commonwealth since the early part of 1904. The will was made by Alfred H. Crocker, the father of George U., Joseph B. and Edgar Crocker.

The arrests of yesterday have caused a great sensation in legal circles. In many circles it is taken to mean that instead of punishing the persons charged with minor crimes District Attorney Pelletier is out after the men higher up in past dealings with the city.

OFF THE NAVAL LIST

Navy Department Officially Declares That Nina Is Lost

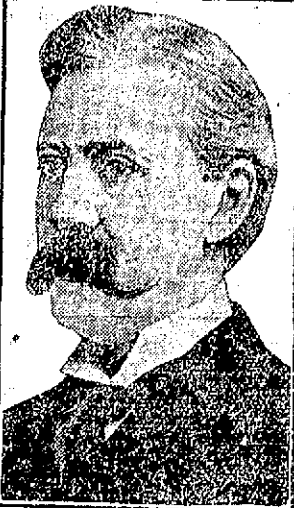
Washington, March 16.—The ill-starred naval tug Nina, which sailed from Norfolk Feb. 6 for Boston, by official order was stricken from the naval list Tuesday. This constitutes an official declaration by the navy department that the little vessel is lost with all on board.

In accordance with law, the government will pay the next of kin of the officers and crew the men's full wages for six months from this date. After that, under the terms of the general pension law, the dependent relatives will receive the usual small pension.

Claims Damages Are Excessive
Cambridge, Mass., March 16.—A motion to set aside the verdicts aggregating \$48,500 in the breach of promise suit of Miss Marion Orr and her father against William Wood was filed by counsel for Wood. The motion alleges that the damages awarded by the jury were excessive and that the verdict was contrary to the evidence.

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CUMMINS ATTACKS TAFT

In Strong Opposition to President's Railroad Policy

Washington, March 16.—Senator Cummins' attack on the Taft administration in connection with the railroad bill, was the sensation of the day in the senate Tuesday, when the Iowa insurgent began his three days' speech to secure certain amendments to the bill.

He criticised in the severest terms the course of the administration in drafting the bill and then expecting Republicans to vote for it under pain of executive displeasure, and strongly intimated that in some respects the bill represented a distinctly backward step.

"A senator must either surrender his independence or be in constant and disagreeable conflict with the chief executive," said Cummins. "A senator must choose between losing the presidential favor and doing the things which his conscience tells him ought to be done."

IMMEDIATE STRIKE ORDER IS DELAYED

Offer of Mediation Is Accepted by Railroad Firemen

Chicago, March 16.—Danger of an immediate strike of 27,000 locomotive firemen on western railroads and the contingent throwing out of employment of more than 125,000 other employees, was averted through the acceptance of mediation from the federal authorities at Washington.

At the request of the general managers of the forty-seven western railroads involved, Chairman Knapp of the interstate commerce commission and Commissioner of Labor Neil telegraphed an offer of federal mediation to the union officers. This offer was accepted, but it was stipulated that action must begin without delay.

The hour for striking had been set for next Monday morning and the members were prepared to start for their homes to put the strike into action.

COWLES IS ARRESTED

Doctor Charged With Practising Medicine Without Registration

Boston, March 16.—Edward S. Cowles of this city, whose charges of disrepute and assault led to the court martial of Paymaster George P. Auld, U. S. N., and Assistant Surgeon Ansel H. Robnett, U. S. N., was arraigned in the superior criminal court on a charge of practising medicine without being registered in Massachusetts.

In the indictment, which is in two counts, Cowles pleaded not guilty and the court ordered that he be held in \$500. As soon as the judge had fixed the amount of sureties Cowles offered \$500 cash bail and left the courthouse.

PEARY IS SNUBBED

Governor of Georgia and Mayor of Atlanta Give Their Reasons

Atlanta, March 16.—Governor Brown and Mayor Maddox of Atlanta declined an invitation to introduce Commander Peary when he lectures here tonight. Governor Brown said he did not believe that Peary discovered the North Pole.

Mayor Maddox in declining gave as his reason that Peary was coming as a private citizen to lecture for money, and was in no sense a guest of Atlanta.

Uniformed Men Must Be Recognized
Washington, March 16.—The house committee on naval affairs reported unanimously the bill prohibiting by fine and imprisonment the exclusion of uniformed soldiers or sailors from public places.

\$143,000 For Fall River Harbor
Washington, March 16.—Senator Lodge offered an amendment to the rivers and harbors bill making an appropriation of \$143,000 for an anchorage ground in Fall River harbor.

TAFT PLEADS FOR SUPPORT

Significant Message to Editors in Illinois

APPEAL TO THE COUNTRY

Sharp Line of Cleavage Between Insurgent Republicans and Administration in Several Western States—Desire to Unite the Party For Congressional Campaign—Leaders to Help in Massachusetts District

Washington, March 16.—President Taft has telegraphed to the Illinois Republican Editorial association expressing his hope that the editors will stand by him and by congress in their action on the tariff and will support the Taft policies. The telegram, which was sent from the White House Tuesday, is addressed to George C. Rankin, president, Springfield, Ill., where the association is in session, and reads as follows:

"Sincerely hope that you will have a full meeting; that there will be harmony and that the Republican editors of Illinois will stand by the action of the Republican congress and Republican administration in reference to the tariff bill and other progressive legislation. The expression of a meeting like the one you have called, arising from a normal, sane and patriotic Republican attitude, will have much influence for good in Illinois and the rest of the country."

This action of the president is a direct appeal to the country for support not only of the policies which he is now urging upon congress, but of the tariff bill as he signed it.

The president's request is doubly interesting, aside from its contents, in view of the approaching state convention in Indiana April 5. This will be the first of the state conventions and will be presided over by Senator Beveridge, one of the insurgents who voted against the tariff bill. The Indiana Republican Editorial association, at a recent meeting, contented itself with affirming the national and state platforms, but declined to approve the tariff act, although urged to do so in an eloquent speech by one of its members.

Senator Beveridge is a candidate for re-election and the situation is identical with that in half a dozen other states of the west, where the state platforms cannot endorse the tariff without repudiating many of their own senators and representatives. This is true also of Kansas, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa. In all of which states a sharp line of cleavage now is drawn between the insurgent Republicans and the administration.

The president evidently reflects the alarm which is general throughout congress that unless the Republican party is able and willing to act as a unit in the coming campaign, it must suffer the loss of a great many seats in congress. His hope is that all Republicans will realize not only that he did the best that could be done under the tariff bill, but that he is doing all in his power to bring about further reductions.

With his own purposes thus recognized, he believes that the party can consistently stand together on the tariff. It is pointed out here that with Senator Aldrich and his associates, like Crane, Elkins, Lodge and Hale, quietly taking their places behind the president and pushing his policies through congress, the insurgent Republicans can have no excuse for further embarrassing the administration in the face of an election.

Any other course, if the president's words are read aright, would be regarded by him as not "normal, sane or patriotic"; hence it is a fair inference that from now on the president will regard all Republicans who are not for him as against him, with whatever consequences may follow in the elections.

The explicit suggestion of the president in his telegram to the editors also gives the Republican congressional committee its cue for action or non-action in the various congressional districts. The test of Republicanism is made the simple one of whether the candidate approves the course of President Taft in signing the tariff bill and in investigating commercial conditions with a view to further tariff legislation and insisting upon legislation upon other subjects in accordance with the promises of the Republican national platform.

This test can be applied as properly in the Fourteenth Massachusetts district as in Illinois. It is evident that in the Fourteenth district the Republican national leaders here will do all in their power for the success of the Republican candidate. The speakers who go to the Fourteenth district all will stand squarely upon the platform the president has laid down in his telegram to Illinois.

Balloon to Make Record Flight
London, March 16.—One of the largest balloons ever constructed, of 170,000 cubic feet capacity, is ready to start for the long-distance record of the world, the route being across the North sea and Russia into Siberia. This balloon was built for The Daily Graphic.

TARIFF HOSTILITIES

Trouble Over Canadian Rate Admitted by President to Be Critical
Washington, March 16.—"Very critical" is the way President Taft described the tariff situation between the United States and Canada after a lengthy conference with tariff experts in his confidence. He wants no misunderstanding; as to the intentions of the United States, and in order that Canada may not assert that she has been misled, he made the statement.

The administration is extremely desirous that the Canadians should realize, while there is yet more than two weeks before the expiration of the limit in which matters may be adjusted, that as yet the president has failed to be convinced that Canada does not "unduly discriminate" against the United States.

Chairman Aldrich of the senate committee on finance was invited to sit with the president's tariff counselors, and after hearing every side, he said he could not see how, under the letter and spirit of the law, the United States could do otherwise than apply the maximum unless some concessions were made by Canada.

SEAL HERDS MUCH REDUCED

President Asks Congress to Take Action to Stop Further Slaughter

Washington, March 16.—President Taft has come to the conclusion that the slaughter of seals on the islands of St. Paul and St. George must stop, and he has sent a special message to congress recommending that the government take control of the islands, their inhabitants and the seal herds when the present lease of the hunting rights there expires on April 1.

The North American Commercial company has the privilege of renewing its lease for another term of years, and the president recommends to congress that such a provision of the present contract be repealed.

Twelve years ago the herds there numbered 275,000, and they have been reduced to 134,000, while the breeding seals have been reduced the same time from 130,000 to 56,000.

KILLS HIS FAMILY, MAKES CONFESSION

Sleepless Man Then Slashes Own Throat and Dies

Flt. Lt., March 15.—Telford Thoni crashed the skulls of his wife and two daughters, walked a mile to the home of a neighbor, left a confession addressed to the coroner, returned to his home, set fire to the house in several places, cut his own throat and lay down to die.

In his confession, Thoni said he was weary of life and yet could not bear to leave this world without taking his entire family with him. He was despondent, he explained, over inability to sleep regularly. Thoni recently came from New Sharon, Pa.

SITUATION IS UNCHANGED

Efforts to End Strike in Philadelphia Result in Failure

Philadelphia, March 16.—The conference with George H. Earle, one of the city's representatives on the board of directors of the street railway company, have not resulted in any plan or suggestion for the settlement of the car men's strike, and negotiations are therefore to be considered ended, was the official statement issued last night by the general strike committee of ten.

President Greenwalt of the State Federation of Labor issued a call to labor unions in all parts of the state to take a general strike vote and hold themselves in readiness to respond to a call for a state-wide sympathetic strike.

There is no change in the general strike situation. While there are a number of defections in the strikers' ranks, these, it is stated by the labor leaders, are more than counterbalanced by accessions to their ranks.

STANDARD OIL A DANGER

Kellogg So Declares in His Argument Before Supreme Court

Washington, March 16.—Holding up the Standard Oil company of New Jersey as a danger to the country, and its organization as a commercial precedent that must be eradicated from the business world, Frank Kellogg arraigned the corporation before the supreme court of the United States with all the power of his eloquence.

It was the government's turn to be heard in the argument over the dissolution of the "Standard Oil" as decreed by the circuit court of the United States for the eastern district of Missouri.

Politicians Are Disappointed
Portsmouth, N. H., March 16.—A dozen politicians throughout New Hampshire, who have been engaged in a warm contest for the position of deputy collector of customs, got a setback when they were notified that the treasury department will abolish the place, as business did not warrant its continuance.

HANDWRITING ON THE WALL

Indicates That Woodruff Must Soon Get Out

"STEAM ROLLER" IS READY

Said to Be Highly Probable That Republican State Chairman Will Be Allowed to Serve Out His Term—Committeemen Planning to Make Peace With Federal Administration to Best Possible Advantage

New York, March 16.—With the state machine claiming the support of Senator Root and with the Woodruff opposition still insistent that the scalp of the state chairman will soon dangle at the belt of New York's junior representative in the United States senate, who, in the present crisis in the Albany situation, is representing the administration, surface indications are that what gives promise of being an internecine organization war is near a crisis.

While the "Old Guard" is declaring that Root had been misled about conditions at Albany and became aware of that fact after talking with Woodruff, those men prominent in state politics who are against Woodruff and the leaders back of him are avowing that steam is now being raised in the federal steam roller, which, they add, is shortly due to flatten out the recalcitrants.

That Woodruff will be allowed to serve out his term, as state chairman, in view of the annoyance of President Taft, Senator Root and Governor Hughes at the open defiance shown them by the state machine men in their election of Senator Cobb as senate leader to succeed Senator Aldrich, is regarded in well informed quarters as highly improbable.

That a majority of the state committee are fully aware of the fact is regarded as equally certain. That such of them whose whole political fortunes do not hinge on allowing the state machine to be overthrown are now chiefly occupied in making plans to make their peace with the administration to the best possible advantage, is another prediction of the wiseacres.

That, even in Woodruff's own ballroom of Brooklyn, at least a quartet of state committeemen are preparing to desert him is stated to be an indisputable fact. And, finally, that "Tim must go," is the handwriting on the wall, according to Washington.

Notwithstanding the studied effort on the part of the friends of Woodruff to make it appear that Root has been overgenerous again and has consented to Woodruff's continuing as chairman of the Republican state committee until the next state convention, it can be said on the authority of the best informed politicians in Washington that the fight against Woodruff is going right ahead.

There will in all probability be a meeting before spring is ended of the state committee, when a resolution will be passed asking Woodruff to give way to another man.

"GRAFTERS" AND "FOOLS"

Epithets Applied to Suffragettes by Dr. Mary Walker

Albany, March 16.—Dr. Mary Walker, in what she called a "constitutional argument," before the assembly judiciary committee, made a violent attack on the women who are advocating the woman suffrage bill. The terms "grafters" and "fools" figured liberally in her remarks.

The speaker insisted that all laws such as proposed are in violation of the United States constitution, which, she claims to have discovered thirty-eight years ago, contains authority for woman suffrage.

"There's no use of such silly rubbish as this bill," she exclaimed, "if women go to the polls in a body and demand the right to vote the men won't dare refuse them."

TO RAISE THE MAINE

Bill Appropriating \$50,000 Favorably Reported in House

Washington, March 16.—The house committee on naval affairs favorably reported a bill appropriating \$50,000 to raise the wreck of the battleship Maine in Havana harbor.

The action was taken on the statement of the department that the wreck was a menace to navigation.

Lawrence Has \$100,000 Mill Fire
Lawrence, Mass., March 16.—Fire destroyed the factory of the Clegg leather board mill. The loss will be \$100,000. Thirty men employed in the mill had barely time to escape.

Neck Broken by Fall
South Berwick, Me., March 16.—While descending some stairs in his home Noah Thompson, aged 60, fell and sustained a broken neck, dying almost immediately.

Percy Takes Oath of Office
Washington, March 16.—Leroy Percy, the new senator from Mississippi, was sworn in Tuesday. Percy took the seat recently occupied by Senator Gordon.

FOOLED BY WAX FIGURE

Policemen Gathered Up Mangled Remains of a "Murder" Victim

New York, March 16.—Just before daylight an excited man came running into the Brownsville station and reported that he had seen two men lower a body from the viaduct over the Long Island railroad to the tracks. Immediately the patrol wagon, filled with men, was rushed to the scene.

Just as the policemen reached the embankment a train was heard approaching. As the glare of the headlights lighted up the tracks a body was seen stretched across the rails. As the policemen watched, they saw the wheels of the locomotive crush it.

After the train had passed, the policemen began picking up the remains and at the same time sent in an ambulance call to the Bradford street hospital. The legs and arms were found, as was also the trunk, but no head could be located for the victim. The police were still searching for this important part of the anatomy when Dr. Elsbach arrived.

He gave one look at the remains and then began to say what he thought of the police. They had been carefully gathering up parts of a wax figure.

REMOVING JUGULAR VEIN

Doctors Expect Boy to Survive an Unusual Surgical Operation

New York, March 16.—With only a small part of his jugular vein left after a recent operation, Harold Erickson, 19 years old, apparently is recovering at the Long Island hospital, and surgeons intend to remove the remainder of the vein in a few days.

As the jugular vein is the main drainage vein from the head, so to speak, it had been thought that the operation could not be done, but the physicians are sanguine of success, believing that the smaller blood vessels can do the work. Medical men are watching the case with interest.

Erickson's trouble began four weeks ago with an acute earache. An operation on the ear disclosed a blood clot, which spread and necessitated the operation.

The boy realizes the dangerous nature of the operation, and has helped the physicians with a fine display of nerve and a cheery good nature.

MONEY IS MISSING FROM WARSHIP SAFE

Loss Falls Upon Paymaster Haughey of the Castine

Boston, March 16.—The officials of the Charlestown navy yard are conducting an investigation with a view of learning who stole \$3500 from the paymaster's safe on board the gunboat Castine. The theft was discovered when Paymaster Haughey returned to duty after shore leave and found that the money given into his custody was gone.

A portion of the missing funds have been recovered. A mess attendant of the Castine came upon \$350 in small bills tucked away behind a bath tub while attending to his duties.

Haughey is certain that the person who secured the money was familiar with the safe combination, though he had all along held the impression that the secret of the dial was known to himself alone.

Haughey has been in the service four years. He is bonded and must make up the difference between the \$3500 and the \$340 or his bondsman will be obliged to do so.

COLEMAN'S CASE TAKEN UP

Several Witnesses Appear Before the Federal Grand Jury

Boston, March 16.—The case of the National City bank of Cambridge, which George W. Coleman and William V. Lockhart are accused of looting, was presented to the federal grand jury yesterday.

The witnesses were Daniel A. Shea, official stenographer to the district attorney, who took Coleman's confession; Frank von Blarcom, who, as manager of a curb brokerage house, swapped checks with Coleman, enabling him by so doing to get money from the bank; Harry E. Calbraith, former messenger at the bank; George G. Calvert, the present messenger, and Edward A. Paul, the assistant cashier. The case is being continued today.

Carried \$268,000 in Bad Loans
Caldus, Me., March 16.—The failed St. Stephen bank carried \$268,000 in bad or doubtful loans, according to George A. Curran, who was retained by certain stockholders to look after their interests.

Black Eye For Suffragists
Providence, March 16.—In the senate Rhode Island sent the woman suffrage bill into oblivion by a vote of 33 to 3.

The Weather
Almanac, Thursday, March 17.
Sun rises—6:02; sets—6:05.
Moon sets—1:49 a. m.
High water—2:45 a. m.; 3:15 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Fair; light to moderate southwest and west winds.

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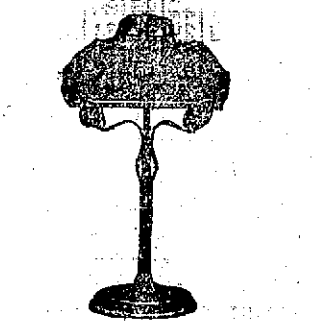
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BIG RAILROAD TIEUP COMING

Railroad Firemen Have Voted to Strike and Will Walk Out in a Short Time.

Chicago, March 16—The date and hour calling the strike of the firemen on the western railroads was decided upon by the union officials committee Tuesday and it adjourned until after noon without announcing the time when the strike would be called.

Pres. Carter of the union said that in his opinion the committee would order the strike regardless of the mediation proposal.

That afternoon the committee of union officials will assemble and a telegram from Chairman Knapp received it will be given attention. If no telegram comes it is the expressed determination of the union committee to conclude its business after deciding whether to make public the date of calling the strike, already fixed on.

The ultimatum of the union committee was sent Monday to Chairman W. C. Nixon of the managers' committee. It reads as follows:

"W. C. Nixon, Chairman of the Managers' Committee, Chicago:
"Dear Sir—Your letter of March 14, wherein you say the managers' committee reaffirmed its former refusal to arbitrate all matters in controversy, has been received and has been given serious consideration.
"The refusal of the managers' committee to arbitrate article 2 and article 8 on the plea that another organization's interests are involved will not

be accepted by our committee for the reason that we are only requesting the restoration of a rule and practice which the members have always enjoyed until recently when railroad managers advocated the nullification of such rules, thereby depriving certain engineering of rights which are accorded to every other employee in the service of the railways represented by the managers' committee.
"Our committee authorizes me to express to the managers' committee regret that our conferences are thus brought to a close without having reached a solution of the matters in dispute and to advise you that our committee has authorized the men affected to withdraw from the service.
"By order of the committee.
(Signed) "W. S. Carter.
"President Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen."

The union officials indicated that the date for calling out the men would give them time to reach their homes before receiving notice to quit work. Many of the firemen are on such runs that some of them could not get back to their starting point under ordinary circumstances in less than four days. It is believed that several days at least will elapse before the strike will go into effect in any event.

Much also depends on the action taken by the union officials in the event that they receive a direct communication from chairman Knapp.

ANOTHER ACTRESS WANTS A DIVORCE

Reno, Nev., March 16—Virginia Harned Southern, accompanied by Miss Margaret Gordon, also an actress, arrived in Reno Monday morning and took a suite at the Riverside hotel until Mrs. Southern can obtain a home here.

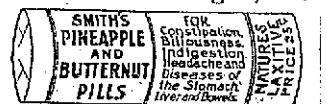
Mrs. Southern intends to remain in Reno with Miss Gordon until June 1 when she will begin a five-weeks' engagement in San Francisco. Mr. Southern did not leave her hotel until 1 p. m., when she walked to the office of her attorneys with Miss Gordon. She had a long consultation, then returned to the hotel.

"I cannot talk of my domestic troubles," said Mrs. Southern, "in fact I

Specks Before The Eyes.

In no part of the body are the effects of constipation more quickly noticed than in the condition of the eyes. When you see a yellowish tinge in the whites of the eyes it shows that the poisonous bile pervades the whole system; but it is the specks and flitting objects in the vision itself that are even more quickly apparent. Thousands of people "see things," their vision is blurred, floating specks and spots which seem almost real, before the eyes. Such conditions can always be traced to torpid liver and a congested condition of the bowels. The only thing to do is to take Smith's Pileapple and Butternut Pills, which cure constipation as if by magic. They regulate the functions of the liver, remove the bilious elements from the circulation and strengthen the nerves. If your eyes are clouded, if you have specks and floating objects before your vision, use Smith's Pileapple and Butternut Pills and get the poisonous elements out of your blood. Physicians use and recommend. They form no habit. You should always keep them on hand. These little Vegetable Pills will ward off many ills.

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conditions of employment" between the 47 roads involved and the brotherhood of locomotive firemen and enginemen.

The application requested that the mediators, Chairman Knapp and Dr. Nell, commissioner of labor, enter into communication with W. S. Carter, president of the brotherhood, with a view to an amicable adjustment of the trouble.

Chairman Knapp assured the representatives of the general managers' that he and Dr. Nell would take up the matter immediately and if necessary would go to Chicago in an effort to adjust the controversy. It appears not unlikely that if the telegraphic communication with Pres. Carter is satisfactory, one or both of the mediators will leave Washington late today for Chicago.

The application for mediation made by the general managers' committee covers every phase of the difficulty that has arisen between the roads and their employees.

It is known that representatives of the general managers' committee have been in Washington for several days fully authorized to make the application in the form it was presented today as soon as failure of the negotiations at Chicago should be indicated.

It is expected here that the representative of the employees will cooperate with the railway officials in the effort to adjust the controversy by mediation, as they heretofore have indicated their willingness to submit the dispute to the mediation of chairman Knapp and Dr. Nell.

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If you had some Diapiesin handy and would take a little now your stomach distress or indigestion would vanish in five minutes and you would feel fine.

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Pape's Diapiesin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.
Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at any drugstore waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia Indigestion or any other stomach disturbance.

LITERARY NOTES

Hampton's For April
The most striking feature of the striking April Hampton's is the leading article written by Benj. B. Hampton himself. Mr. Hampton is both editor and publisher of Hampton's Magazine and he writes a remarkable article upon "The Vast Riches of Alaska."

The article is out of the ordinary in so many ways and deals with such serious subjects, that the editor of the magazine has chosen to emphasize his responsibility in the matter by signing his name as author.
Airships and St. Nicholas
Do you know what the Junior Aero club is, and that its membership is over 1,000?
Do you know of the Junior Aero club, with even larger membership?
Do you know that American boys' active interest in toy airships is really an important factor in the development of the airship?
These are some of the interesting facts told by Francis Arnold Collins for readers of the April St. Nicholas in a profusely illustrated sketch on "Boys and the Airship."

Application of Western Roads to the Interstate Commerce Commission.
Washington, March 16—Mediation under the Erdman act has been requested in the controversy that has arisen westward of Chicago and the firemen and enginemen.
The application for mediation was made by the railroads. The request will be granted.
Immediately after Chairman Knapp of the Interstate commerce commission arrived at his office Tuesday representatives of the railroad general managers' committee presented to him the application of the railroad officials for mediation of the trouble.
The application was signed by W. C. Nixon, chairman of the general managers' committee.
The request for the mediation of the difficulty that has arisen on the subject of "wages, hours of labor and

But it Has Nothing on Fresh Water Lobsters Reported in Maine.

John H. Brocklebank of 170 Water street in shocking his claws yesterday found a "freak" a two headed clam. The "oldest inhabitant" remembers no such freak before.—Newburyport News.

FREAK CLAM

MONEY STOLEN ON WARSHIP

\$3500 Taken From Paymaster's Safe on U. S. S. Castine.

Boston, March 16—Thirty-five hundred dollars were stolen from the safe of Paymaster Lawrence Gilman Haughey aboard the United States gunboat Castine, now at the Charlestown navy yard. This fact became known Tuesday. The safe, when robbery was discovered, was locked and Paymaster Haughey's room, where the safe was, was locked. An attendant has since found \$680 hidden behind a bathtub on the vessel.

Begins Investigation of Robbery.
A board of inquiry consisting of the yard paymaster and two senior officers in service at Charlestown is at work trying to unravel the mystery.

There is no doubt on the part of the investigating board that the thief is connected with the Castine.
Paymaster Haughey declares that so far as he knows no one knew the combination of the rifled safe but himself.

A week ago Tuesday Haughey placed \$3,500, to be used in meeting the

payroll, in the safe, along with his accounts. Then he closed the safe and turned the combination so that the steel box was locked.

That afternoon the paymaster went to the back bay to visit friends. The day following, Wednesday, he was taken sick and did not return to his boat until Thursday. His room in the afterpart of the vessel was locked. He opened it with his key. The room was just as he left it. Having some figuring to do, he opened the safe using the combination and he was thunderstruck to discover that the money was gone.

Last Friday, Mess Attendant Rock found \$520 in small bills behind a bathtub. The \$3,500 stolen from the safe was all in small bills.

Haughey bears an excellent name in the navy. He has been in the service four years. He is bonded and must make up the difference between the \$3,500 and the \$680 or his bonds-men will be obliged to do so.

CONSTRUCTION OF INLAND WATERWAYS

Providence, March 16—The projected construction of deep inland waterways connecting Narragansett bay with Boston on the east and with Long Island on the west received fresh impetus in Washington Tuesday, when the War department recommended to Congress an appropriation of \$148,000 for deepening the harbor at Fall River.

Accompanying the recommendation was a report by army engineers which states that if the proposed Boston-Narragansett waterway is built Fall River will be an important link in the chain, which, it is planned, will ultimately extend to Beaufort, N. C.

The idea of the engineers is that Fall River will be the southern terminus of the link from Boston to Narragansett bay. Sweeping wharfage changes by the city government at Fall River are recommended by the report.

Just at present the proposed improvements at Fall River have to do with traffic at New York. The improvements will, however, be a step toward the ultimate construction of the intracoastal waterway. Besides, the \$148,000 appropriation the War department would have the present improvements continued, with an annual maintenance estimated at \$600.

Although the inland waters scheme has been discussed with more or less interest, for several years, it did not come before the people of Rhode Island with material force until last November, when Governor Fotherill and other representative Rhode Islanders attended the session of the Atlantic Deepwaterways Association in the South.

At that convention, where it was voted to hold the next annual session next fall in this city, Rhode Island's place in the scheme, which involves the commerce of the Atlantic coast from Maine to the Gulf, was put forward as most important.

The water ways scheme contemplates the building of a canal from Massachusetts bay across to the Taunton river, thence to Mount Hope and Narragansett bays.

Continuing, the plans are for more deep water ways striking in on the west shore of the bay and along the South County coast line to a point where the vessels may enter the quiet waters of Long Island sound without being exposed to the tempestuous weather which often prevails off Point Judith and along the coast to Watch Hill.

In this way vessels would be able to go from Boston to New York in protected waters. From New York south a series of canals, some of which are already built would enable cargo carriers to go far south without exposure to storms as at present.

This measure calls for appropriations not to exceed in the aggregate \$240,000, exclusive of sums already appropriated. It also provides further that no part of the amount shall be expended until the secretary of war shall have received satisfactory assurance that this city or some local agency will expend on the improvement of the harbor front a sum equal to that appropriation and authorized by Congress. This bill is at present pending in the House of Representatives.

HOPE FOR UNITED PROTESTANT CHURCHES

New York, March 16.—Protestant ministers of New York took a step Monday, that may lead, so they hope to a united Protestantism in New York and eventually in all America.

The meeting was held upon invitation of the Federation of Churches and one hundred ministers present were made up of Baptists, Congregationalists, Disciples, Seventh Day Adventists, Episcopalians, Quakers, Lutherans, Methodists, Moravians, Presbyterians, Pentecostals, Nazarenes, Reformed Swedenborgians, Unitarians, Universalists and three ministers who said they did not belong to any of these.

This, the most remarkable religious gathering ever held in this city was called a clerical conference and was held in the new rooms of the Algonquin Association, 11th avenue and Twenty-third street. The Bronx and Brooklyn were represented as well as Manhattan. It was the first gathering, but it was with regular monthly meetings, save during the summer.

Among the ministers present were the foremost leaders in all of the bodies named. All of the eight speakers asserted that hereafter Protestants are going to show a united front.

Bishop Greer of the Episcopal Church presided.

Bishop Greer Optimistic.
"We hear at times," he said, "that the churches are falling. It is not

true. The churches are well filled, some of them crowded and the proportion of men attending them is greater than ever.

"We are all well aware of the sin prevalent in our midst. But is has always been prevalent. The gain is that the churches now know it exists and are doing something to stamp it out."

Speaking for Presbyterians, the Rev. Dr. George Alexander moderator of the New York Presbytery, declared they stand ready to meet Episcopalians half way. Bishop Greer had mentioned the moderator by name, saying he wished he might have the privilege of laying on of hands upon such a leader as he. Replying, the veteran Presbyterian leader said he would not seriously object. It surely would not hurt him, and it might do good. He allowed there are some Presbyterians in New York who stand on what they are pleased to call their principles, but he added that some who have few principled manufacturers them out of their principles.

The Rev. Dr. Nehemiah Boynton of Brooklyn, speaking for Congregationalists commiserated the political, social, amusement, Sabbath rest, labor and other questions on which, he said, Protestants might unite.

A Strong List of Speakers.
Other speakers included Rev. Dr. J. B. Remondy, who spoke for Lutherans; the Rev. Dr. F. Mason North, who belittled the Methodists

would join heartily; the Rev. Dr. Swift of the American Tract Society, who wondered how many religious bodies are "willing to sacrifice their names in order that the cause of Christ may be advanced" and the Rev. J. H. Melish of Brooklyn, who made the announcement that the conference is to be made permanent and is to meet next on April 11, with the Rev. Dr. C. F. Aked in the chair.

In closing Bishop Greer stated that the next matter in hand is to hear from representatives of each body in the conference what are their hindrances to cooperation. The bishop believed the time in America to be ripe for unity, and declared that the Episcopal Church stands ready to aid.

The conference membership is to be much enlarged until, if possible it includes all of the Protestant ministers in the greater city. In the membership are the Rev. Drs. Atterbury, Carson and McAfee among Presbyterians; the Rev. Drs. Cobb and Farrar of the Reformed Church; the Rev. Dr. Aked, Baptist; the Rev. Drs. Stiles Clendenin, Mottet and Townsend, and the Rev. Messrs. Scarlett, Crocker, Cook, Miller, Hulise, Steen and Wood and Unitarians and Universalists are usually barred in such meetings but both were present yesterday, three men from each.

ROOSEVELT SIGHTSEEING IN KHARTOUM

Khartum, March 16—Bent upon making the most of their brief stay in this, the capital of the Egyptian general government of the Sudan, the Roosevelts were up early Tuesday. Col. Roosevelt was especially busy occupying the intervals between planned excursions to points of historic interest in receiving callers and making reply to such of his voluminous correspondence as he had been able to examine.

After breakfast yesterday he summoned to him the native servants who had accompanied him throughout the expedition and bade them goodby. Everyone received a present of cash from Col. Roosevelt and a gift from Mrs. Roosevelt. The sightseeing program began with a visit to Gordon memorial college, built at the east end of the town in 1802 by subscription solicited from the British people by Lord Kitchener, in memory of "Chinese" Gordon, the Christian general whose martyrdom here made the place first famous.

From the college a drive was taken to other parts of the town. Col. and Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Ethel and Maj. Gen. Sir Rudolph Baron von Slatin, the inspector general of the Sudan's staff, made up the party. They occupied a carriage drawn by a pair of horses and escorted by two Egyptian lancers. During the drive they were joined by the other members of Maj. Gen. Wingate's staff, the latter occupying two carriages.

Later in the forenoon the Roosevelts abandoned their carriages for a motor car and unaccompanied drove into the suburbs.

For afternoon the Roosevelts planned a visit to Korreri, the scene of the great battle on Sept. 2, 1898, when the Anglo-Egyptian forces defeated the Khalifa and reconquered Egyptian Sudan. The trip to Omdurman will be made in the Sudan's yacht Elfin and the other seven miles north to Korreri possibly on donkey back.

The plans of the Roosevelts provide for their departure from here on a special train Thursday night. On the way to Cairo a stop of one day will be made at Assuan, upper Egypt, on the east bank of the Nile, and two days will be given over to a visit to Luxor. The party will sail for Naples early in April.

Col. Roosevelt stated Tuesday that he could not return to United States by way of San Francisco, but if possible would visit Denver and Cheyenne in August.

The ex-President's decision was announced to F. G. Bonifles of Denver, who came here to meet Col. Roosevelt. He had an interview with the latter Tuesday and presented him a petition from the chambers of commerce of Kansas City and other western cities asking the ex-President to return to the United States by way of San Francisco.

Mr. Roosevelt replied that it would be impossible for him to accept the suggestion owing to his engagements, including his presence at the marriage of his son, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and Miss Eleanor B. Alexander, which will take place in June. If possible, however he said he would visit Denver and Cheyenne in the frontier day celebration in August.

Col. Roosevelt, upon his visit to the Gordon memorial college, addressed the students informally, expressing great interest in their work and remarking upon the splendid progress made by British energy in the few years that its influence had been exerted in Khartum.

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In Effect October 6, 1909.

FOR BOSTON—3.25, 9.25, 7.25, 8.40, 10.55 a. m., 1.52, 6.00, 6.27, 7.2 p. m. Sunday—3.25, 8.00, 10.00 a. m., 3.52, 6.00, 7.00 p. m.

Returning, Leave Boston—7.30, 8.47, 9.00, 10.10 a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 4.56, 6.00, 7.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday—8.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.15, 6.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m.

FOR PORTLAND—9.05, 10.18 a. m., 3.51, 5.50, 11.45 p. m. Sunday—8.48, 8.55, 11.45 p. m.

Returning, Leave Portland—1.00, 2.00, 3.15, 4.25, 5.40, 6.00 p. m. Sunday—1.00 a. m., 12.15 p. m.

FOR DOVER—5.05, 9.10 a. m., 12.25, 2.32, 6.22, 8.52 p. m. Sunday—5.05, 10.50 a. m., 8.52 p. m.

Returning, Leave Dover—5.50, 10.55 a. m., 1.10, 4.25, 6.45, 9.20 p. m. Sunday—7.20 a. m., 1.10, 9.30 p. m.

FOR MANCHESTER AND CONCORD—2.30 a. m., 12.40, 6.25 p. m.

Returning, Leave Concord—7.13, 10.25 a. m., 4.50 p. m.

FOR YORK BEACH—7.40, 11.00 a. m., 5.35 p. m.

Returning, Leave York Beach—6.40, 7.5 a. m., 1.00, 3.45 p. m.

FOR SOMERSWORTH AND RICHMOND—5.55, 9.40 a. m., 2.42, 5.22 p. m.

Returning, Leave Rochester—6.10, 9.22, 9.15 a. m., 5.23 p. m.

NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

Leaves Navy Yard—8.20, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m.; 1.25, 2.15, 2.45, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 6.00, 7.40 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 2.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—8.25, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 1.35, 2.45, 3.30, 4.10, 4.30, 4.45, 5.40, 6.10, 10.00 p. m. Sundays—10.00, 10.15 a. m.; 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00 p. m.

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TAFT WANTS EDITORS' SUPPORT

Washington, March 16.—President Taft sent to the convention of republican editors at Springfield, Ill., Tuesday a telegram which expressed a hope that the editors would stand by the republican congress and administration. The telegram, addressed to George Narkin, president of the Illinois republican editorial association was as follows:

"Sincerely hope that you will have a full meeting; that there will be harmony and that the republican editors of Illinois will stand by the action of the republican congress and republican administration in reference to the tariff bill and other progressive legislation."

"The expression of a meeting like the one you have called, arising from a normal, sane and patriotic republican attitude, will have much influence for good in Illinois and the rest of the country." William H. Taft.

ROYAL ARCANUM

HOLD BIG EVENT
(Continued from Page One.)

Supreme Regent Clovis H. Bowen of Pawtucket R. I.; Supreme Secretary Alfred T. Turner of Boston; Grand Regent R. H. Chase of Manchester; Grand Vice Regent I. E. Ewer, Dover; Grand Past Regent Charles R. Sprague, Manchester; Grand Secretary F. E. Smith, Dover; Grand Chaplain Frank E. Leavitt, Portsmouth; Grand Sentinel H. E. White, Concord; Grand Medical Examiner F. S. Towle, Portsmouth; Grand Past Representative Harry B. Yeaton and Edward Smith, all of the New Hampshire Grand Council; Grand Vice-Regent G. H. Wiley, Grand Secretary W. L. Kolt, Boston; Grand Past Regent W. H. Hadley, of the Massachusetts Grand Council, and Past Grand Regent and now District Deputy Supreme Regent Daniel R. Beckford of Boston. The regent and secretary of Delta Council of Manchester and the officers and sixty members of the Major Waldron Council of Dover were present. They brought down a class of twelve candidates, who entered with the big class.

There was great interest taken in the work of the new prize ritual, which has never been used only in four places in this country, and never before in New England. It may have been possible for it to have been exemplified by a better degree team, but those present Tuesday evening will all admit that they will have to go some to do it. The work was under the direction of Degree Master Frederic T. Harriman and better work was never seen in this city in any hall, and the entire work was an impressive ceremony. But one candidate was worked in full form, the others having been obligated in advance.

The members of the degree team were: Degree Master Captain Fred T. Harriman as Guide; D. P. Church, Ill, Regent; William Milcott, Vice-Regent; Arthur Horton, Past Regent; Walter Staples, Orator; Ernest Brown, Chaplain; Charles Towle, Warden; David McIntosh, Perley Hersey, Perley Nelson, David Day, Sherman Caswell, William Philbrick, Ellis P. Gray, J. E. Harrold supporters, Fred T. Harriman pianist and Edwin C. Johnson marker.

Following the degree work an able address was given by Supreme Regent Bowen, in which he paid the highest

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HELP WANTED—Young girl to help with housework through the day. To sleep home nights. Apply 18 Lincoln avenue. ch17,he,12

SALESMEN WANTED—At once, salesmen for dress goods and silks in large department store in Portland. Address Edmund Henry, 63 Atlantic St., Portland, Me. m15,he,3t

COMPETENT NURSE wants nursing of all kinds, patients receive best of care. Would care for invalid, or go anywhere in or out of state. Address or call H. L. Villars, No. 5 Prospect St., Exeter, N. H. ch17, m12

WANTED—Young men to learn auto mobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big; work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. 1w, c16

TO LET

TO LET—Some very nice rooms for light housekeeping at 41 State street. m7,he,1w

TO LET—Tenement 24 Fleet St., steam heat, rent \$12.50. Will be ready February 24. ch13,11

TO LET—Tenement, seven rooms with steam heat and bath, hot and cold water. Inquire at Herald office. j17, he,11

TO LET—Tenement, steam heated, 2 Webster Court. Ready this week. Rent \$12. Apply this office. 11

TO LET—Store at corner of Bow and Market streets. Apply at his office. ch13,he,3

To Let—Stores and storage for furniture, etc. Apply to H. A. Clark & Co., Commercial Warf. 11

TO LET—House and shop on Fleet street. Will let separately or together. Inquire of Mrs. Moulton, 5 Liberty street. ch17,ms,5

compliments to Regent D. P. Lawrence and the officers of the Alpha Council, for the great work done during the past two months, and he said that it was a record that any council in the country could be proud of. He also spoke highly of the work of the degree team and talked at some length on the aims and objects of the order.

He was followed by Grand Regent Robert R. Chase, who presented the council with a banner for the work of the year and in behalf of the Grand Council paid his compliments to the council for the work being done here. Other speakers were Supreme Secretary Alfred T. Turner of Boston, Vice-Grand Regent of Massachusetts C. H. Wiley and District Deputy Daniel R. Beckford.

At the business meeting District Deputy Beckford was voted an honorary member of Alpha Council, and it was voted to hold a ball complimentary to the class initiated Tuesday evening, in Freeman's hall, April 14, and the same committee that had charge of the ladies' night will make the arrangements.

At the close of the meeting adjournment was taken to the upper hall, where a buffet lunch was served, for which Frank Leary catered. The menu consisted of lobster salad, rolls, olives, coffee and cigars, and over three hundred were served.

This was followed by a social hour, during which several of the members furnished the entertainment, and there were remarks made by the guests who had not been heard in the lower hall. It was well into the small hours of the morning, before the gathering broke up. The Major Waldron council who came down on a special train, returned at one o'clock to Dover.

Alpha Council has now a membership of 235, and when all of the candidates already obtained are taken in it will be 350, making it the largest council in the state, leading their old rival, the Major Waldron Council of Dover, by a hundred or more members.

DR. COWLES INDICTED IN MASSACHUSETTS

Boston, March 16.—Dr. Edward S. Cowles, who figured in the naval court-martial at the navy yard lately, was arraigned in the superior court Tuesday, before Judge Wall on an indictment charging him in one count with holding himself out as a physician without having been registered by the board of registration of medicine in the Commonwealth, and in another count with practicing medicine for three months prior to the indictment without being registered. He pleaded not guilty, and was held in \$500. At H. Weed formerly of Dist. Atty. Hill's office, is counsel for the defendant.

The indictment was a surprise at the court house as it was not known that the grand jury was considering charges against the doctor.

Dr. Cowles was a principal witness at the recent navy yard court-martial of Paymaster Auld and Lieut. Robnett when trouble grew out of the doctor's presence at a dance given at the yard.

TUGBOAT MEN UNDER ARREST

Portland, Me., March 16.—As a result of an investigation made by Chief Drummer of the police department, and Assistant County Attorney Budge of the looking of the cargo of the wreck of the steamer Manhattan, a number of arrests were made Tuesday, and much property was recovered. The toll wing were held by a bail commissioner in \$1000 each for their appearance before Recorder Whelden of the municipal court tomorrow. Capt. Charles W. L. McDuffie and Engineer Ernest G. McDuffie of the tug Portland, Captain James Perkins of the tug Starline and Capt. Horace Perkins of the tug Sebago.

It is alleged that they took articles from the wreck, while the tugs were employed in putting out the fire. The safe of the purser was found on board the fireboat engine 7, but it is said that none of the crew knew it was put on board, all of them being at the scene of the fire. It is expected that other arrests will be made. A captain of a schooner who is not under arrest turned over a lot of things of no special value and said that he thought he had a right to take them. The charge against those who were arrested on Tuesday is grand larceny.

THE BOWLERS

Woods Won Roll Off at Elks--Little Jeff Team Put It On the Muffs in a Fine Match.

At the Elks alleys Tuesday night, the "Little Jeffs" defeated the "Muffs." Kirvan was high man for three-string total with 282. He and Clarke were tied for high single string with 113 each.

The score:

"Little Jeffs."

Capstick	92	84	95	271
Moorcroft	84	103	82	269
Henry	96	84	86	276
Kirvan	84	113	85	282
Woods	88	84	91	266
Totals	444	478	452	1304

"Muffs."

Clark	86	78	113	277
Trefethen	78	97	90	268
Lamprey	66	77	77	220
Ham	80	85	92	257
Fernald	87	73	83	243
Totals	397	402	454	1253

Roll-Off at Elks' Alleys.

At the roll-off at the Elks' alleys Tuesday night, Woods was high man with a score of 103; Hersey was second with 101, and Moorcroft third with 86.

DOVER DOINGS

Dover, March 16.—The three local divisions of Ancient Order of Hibernians held a meeting on Tuesday evening to complete final arrangements for the banquet, which will be held on Thursday evening. The banquet will be attended by Catholic societies in general, and following the repast a program of literary and musical numbers, appropriate to the commemoration of Ireland's patron saint, will be rendered.

The sum of \$150 was realized by the members of the "Boyville" association as a result of tag day, last Saturday. The sum will be used to defray expenses, and the boys hope to raise enough to build a gymnasium in the future.

Local horsemen are pleased to learn of Walter Cox's purchase of Granite State park, and it is hoped that there will be one or more big meets held there during the coming season. It is understood that Mr. Cox will make extensive improvements on the stables and track, which, when in proper condition, is one of the best mile courses in the country.

A mother and son were arraigned in police court on Tuesday, both charged with intoxication, but the two cases were continued for sentence.

A Mother Goose carnival is to be held at St. John's Methodist church on Thursday evening, which promises to be quite a novelty in the way of entertainment.

The ice in the lower Cogheneo has already begun to break up, and it is expected that the ice in the upper river will also break up in the warm weather continue. No damage is expected to result, as has been the case in former years.

Burnham Brown, a local baseball

For local news read the Herald.

HUNTING THE WALRUS.

Daring of the Eskimos and Their Work With the Harpoon.

With the harpoon as a weapon the hunters let the solid ice to splinter lightly from one small piece to another until a pan large enough to hold them was reached far out in the open lake. The pieces over which the passage was made were often so small that they would have sunk under a man's weight had he stepped or hesitated upon them for a moment. It seemed to me that the Eskimos were absolutely reckless in this passage over the broken pieces and took no account of the manner in which they should retreat. Certainly only a fearless man with a clear eye and nerves of iron could accomplish this.

A large, safe place was attained well in the midst of the blowing walrus, a stand was taken near its edge, where, with harpoon poised, the hunter waited until a walrus came within striking distance. Then like a flash upon the weapon was sunk deep into the walrus's body, and quick as a flash a harpoon shaft provided with a heavy point of iron was driven firmly into the side and several turns of line taken around it and held tight by the Eskimo.

This strong line held the walrus in spite of its struggles to free itself, and not an inch was surrendered to it by the Eskimo. As the walrus gradually tired the line was tightened a little by the hunter until finally the great animal was well alongside the pier, when it was quickly dispatched with a lance.—Harry Whitney in Outlook.

WAITING FOR A WIFE.

One Man Who Thought Twenty Years Was Just a Start.

"There's romance for you," said little Blinky, putting aside his morning paper. "This paper has a story of a college professor who met a beautiful girl twenty years ago, fell in love with her at first sight and then lost sight of her altogether. Now, after waiting for twenty years, he is rewarded by finding her to the altar as his bride. Just think of it, waiting twenty years for a wife."

"What of it?" asked the genial philosopher. "There's nothing extraordinary about that. I've waited thirty-five years for mine."

"You? Waited thirty-five years? Why, I thought you'd been married that long," said little Blinky.

"I have," said the genial philosopher. "That's how I know how long I've waited. I've waited for her to get her gloves on about three years. I've waited for her to change her hat about four years. I've waited while she said just one last word to the cook for at least five years. I've waited upstairs. I've waited downstairs. I've waited at church. I've waited in cabs, omnibuses, taxicabs, motorcars and the Lord knows what else besides. Fact is, Blinky, I've waited so long, so often and so regularly that between you and me that little college professor of yours, with only one year of waiting, strikes me as a 'separate little piker.'—Harper's Weekly.

The Word "Workshop."

The word "workshop" is an interesting survival of the far past. "Borow" here represents the past participle of the Anglo-Saxon verb "began," to go around about, a word which has otherwise entirely disappeared from our vocabulary, but which has its analogies in such verbs as "beset" and "begird," in which the prefix "be" represents the modern preposition "by." A workshop connotes is thus that of a man, compassed about with woe, though perhaps it is most generally used to a somewhat slighting manner to imply that the appearance of grief is greater than the circumstances warrant. Thus it has particularly undergone the same process of degeneration which has made "maudlin tears" original tears of penitence from Mary Magdalene—bear a contemptuous meaning.—London Standard.

The Admirable Korean.

With all his languor, the Korean is a particularly agreeable person. He is the polished gentleman in the setting of the savage. He is one of nature's cheerful spirits—a Mark Tapley who goes whistling through life despite the multiplication of his misfortunes. He is the victim of his own good nature and is content to sit unconcernedly on his boundary fence and witness the robbery of his estates. It is a pleasure to visit Korea if only to meet the Korean himself, says the Japan Weekly Chronicle, for he is the happy-go-lucky, good tempered simpleton who unconsciously contributes to the pleasure of others.

Subdued.

Hotel Guest (to pretty waiter girl)—This steak is not very good. Pretty Waiter Girl—Teacoffee? Guest—This steak—it's tough and— Pretty Waiter Girl (to another pretty waiter girl)—Charlie was asking after you this morning, Jew. (To guest)—Did you say teacoffee? Guest (glomily)—Coffee.—New York Sun.

He Failed to See It.

Mr. Closecree (during his wife's reception)—She gives 'em lights; she gives 'em music; she gives 'em food, flowers, champagne, and that's what she calls receiving!—Puck.

Shocked.

Ella—Bella married an octogenarian. Stella—I don't think the girl ought to change her religion for a man.—Exchange.

We are not in this world to do what we wish, but to be willing to do that which it is our duty to do.—Goanod.

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AT NAVY YARD

The Marietta Has Arrived

Race by Different Hospital Builders' Crews

Marietta Comes in This Afternoon

The gunboat Marietta, Frank K. Hill commander, arrived in the lower harbor this afternoon from Hampton Roads. She is expected to come to the yard on slack tide between 4 and 6 o'clock.

Sending Cooperage to Mare Island

The general store at the yard is shipping a carload of cooperage consisting of blocks, waterbreakers and steep tubs to the Mare Island navy yard.

Pay Day for Clerks

The men of the classified service at the station were paid today.

Called Back to Work

Seven shipwrights and four blacksmiths, who were recently furloughed for a thirty days' period, have been recalled for duty in the manufacturing department.

Forty Days to Repair Marietta

The department has allowed forty days for repairs on the U. S. S. Marietta and also ordered the same to proceed without the estimates being given until later. According to this direction the work will start as soon as possible after the vessel is tied up at the dock.

What the Machinery Division Will Spend

The machinery division of the manufacturing department will expend \$30,000 for labor and material in carrying out the repairs on the Marietta.

Attending Funeral at York

Howard Jenkins, clerk in the hull division, is absent from his desk today, attending the funeral of a friend at York.

Going to the Ajax

Capt. Joseph Hutchinson, now commanding the collier Sterling, is said will be transferred to the Ajax when the latter ship goes in commission.

Hurrying on the Hospital

The Noel Construction Company which has the contract for the construction of new naval hospitals at Newport, Chelsea and Portsmouth, is

encouraging a race among the men in its employ for the erection of these buildings.

At the time the contract was awarded a time limit of 18 months was given for the completion of the work. All the buildings, it is understood, are to be uniform, and it will be of much interest to the contracting firm which is completed first.

At Newport work was begun some time ago. The excavating has practically been completed and the contractors are now waiting for a favorable opportunity, to begin the concrete foundation. A large quantity of building material has been received for the new hospital, and the construction work, when once started, will be pushed with all possible haste.

Break in the Electrical Force

Two wiremen and two electricians helpers were discharged in the machinery division on Tuesday, owing to the lack of work.

Hobson Wants Them Let In

The House committee on naval affairs, reported unanimously on Tuesday the bill introduced by Representative Hobson of Alabama, prohibiting by fine and imprisonment the exclusion of uniformed soldiers or sailors from hotels, restaurants, theatres, dance halls and other public places.

Slowly Improving

Charles Hutchins, employed in the fire room of the Central power plant, is recovering from a severe case of pneumonia.

Not Needed Any Longer

The lunch cart which has been in use by a caterer for the past year will be removed from the yard on Thursday. The service in the portable eating house was discontinued when the rooms were opened recently in the old steam engineering machine shop.

Where Did it Come From?

Nature students at the yard are delighted on the arrival of the portable bungalow and the active outdoor season will soon be on.

Safe Rifled on the Gunboat at Boston

The officials of the Charlestown navy yard are conducting an investigation with a view of learning who stole \$350 from the paymaster's safe on board the gunboat Castine last week.

The theft was discovered on Thursday when Paymaster Lawrence Gilman Haughey returned to duty after shore leave and found that the money given into his custody was gone.

A portion of the missing funds have been recovered. Mess Attendant Rock of the Castine came upon \$340 in small bills tucked away behind a bath tub while attending to his duties on Friday. Rock reported his find to his superiors and the money was given over to their charge.

U. S. S. Nina off List

The ill-starred naval tug Nina which sailed away from Norfolk Feb. 6 for Boston, by official order was stricken from the naval list Tuesday. This constitutes an official declaration by the navy department that the little vessel is lost with all on board.

In accordance with law, the government will pay the next of kin of the officers and crew the men's full wages for six months from this date. After that, under the terms of the general pension law, the dependent relatives will receive the usual small pension.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Capt. Brackett made his first call for candidates for the baseball team, and held a meeting at recess at which about forty candidates were present. Mr. Bunker of the speaking staff spoke a few words and told the men that practice would begin this afternoon at three o'clock. Mr. Bunker is to be assisted by Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Schoenfeld.

The first two games are to be played at Portsmouth. The first one to be played on the Saturday following the vacation.

The Junior basketball team has won the championship in the school series winning all their games. The sophomores rank next and the seniors last.

	Won	Lost	Percent
Juniors	4	0	1,000
Sophomores	2	2	500
Seniors	0	4	000

Besides the seniors of the school quite a number of other people have joined them to go on the trip.

TAKES CHARGE TODAY

New Superintendent Country Farm Now on the Job

Albert J. Trotter and family left today for the country farm at Brentwood, where Mr. Trotter assumes charge of the institution in place of Mr. Tasker.

THE WEATHER

Wednesday night and Thursday—Fair with moderate temperature and light to moderate westerly winds.

WM. IREDALE

FATALLY HURT

William Iredale of Salem, a young man employed as brakeman on the Boston and Maine railroad was struck by a switching engine at Wenhams station, early this morning, and both legs cut off by the wheels of the locomotive.

There is little chance of his recovery. He was one of the most popular young men employed in the passenger service and well known in this city, where he formerly resided while running on a Portsmouth and Boston train daily. Much sorrow is expressed on the eastern division by employees in all branches of the service, who knew the young man.

PERSONALS.

W. I. Stanley of Enfield is in Portsmouth today.

Odin Towle of Boston is in Portsmouth today.

Mrs. Benjamin Mugridge is visiting in New Haven.

Robert R. Chase of Manchester is in this city today.

George E. Ricker of Saco is a Portsmouth visitor today.

E. R. Smith of Concord is a Portsmouth visitor today.

Mrs. George Ducker is the guest of relatives in Boston.

H. L. Grant of York was in the city on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bull of Lawrence, Mass. are in Portsmouth today.

Rev. S. K. Perkins of York was in the city on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Moore is quite ill with the grip at her home on Whidden street.

Mrs. Frank Parsons of York Beach is passing a few days with friends in this city.

Mrs. F. E. Hasty, who has been the guest of relatives at Dover, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Moore of Deer street, went to Union on Tuesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Parker, wife of Capt. W. H. Parker, U. S. M. C. who has been visiting at Washington has returned home.

Mrs. James Pettigrew is rapidly recovering from her illness and is able to enjoy a short out-door walk nearly every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eastman Clarke, Mrs. David Cross and Mrs. R. E. Clark of Manchester were at the Rockingham Hotel on Tuesday.

The many friends of Miss Gertrude Long, daughter of ex-Alderman and Long, daughter of ex-Alderman and the office of the Granite State Insurance company, will be pleased to learn that she is nearly recovered from her recent illness.

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Fred Henderson, Ellington St.
Carl Meyers, Kittery, Me.

LOCAL DASHES.

Have you read the direct primary law?

The weather man is on his good behavior.

A heavy frost covered the ground this morning.

Have you cleared all the brown tails off your trees?

Special Luncheon every day at the National Hotel, 40 cents.

The street division have begun scraping several of the streets.

Smoke the Warwick 100 cigar, Ed. Brown manufacturer, 38 Market St.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, corner Fleet and Porter Sts.

Rumor has it that a steamer may run between this city and Rollins Farm this summer.

The North Parish reception this evening will be held at the chapel, not the parsonage, as was announced.

P. A. Robbins, the upholsterer and cabinet maker 61 Market St. Agent for "Sento" Vacuum Cleaner. Tel.

Live lobsters, haddock, smelts, clams, scallops, spawns, halibut, finnan haddie, meats and provisions, Edward S. Downs, 37 Market St.

There will be a Lenten service in Christ church at 7:30 this evening, with instruction by the rector on "Suffering."

Take your shoe troubles to Greene, successor to E. C. Hopworth, 6 and 8 Congress street.

MAY BE SEEN HERE

"The Dream of the U. S. A." which has been given so successfully by the York amateurs is likely to be seen in this city soon.

This musical drama is the work of Mr. Walter R. Boddy of York.

PENACOOK PRIEST TO SPEAK

Rev. John Shney of Penacook will preach at the Church of the Immaculate Conception tonight.

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PUTTING UP WAITING ROOM

James Boardman, the well known river boatman, is fitting up a fine waiting room at his landing on the Kittery side of the river.

DIED

TOSCAN—On Tuesday, March 15th Elizabeth French Parrott Toscan. Funeral services at her residence, 12 Middle street, at 11 o'clock on Thursday.

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